P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS: The service to crippled children and adults requires continuation and expansion in South Dakota as reported by the South Dakota Society for Crippled Children; and

WHEREAS: To carry forward this vital work, more money will be required for service due to rising costs and increase of programs; and

WHEREAS: By carrying forward this service we strip the words "crippled" and "handicapped" of silly superstitions and bring, through our contributions of time, money and energy a measure of relief and rehabilitation as well as self-esteem to the less fortunate; and

WHEREAS: The South Dakota Society for Crippled Children provided needed services for 650 crippled children and adults last year to more than qualify itself for a broader program and public support; and

WHEREAS: The annual Easter Seal appeal for funds to continue and expand these important services to crippled children and adults in South Dakota will be March 6 to April 6;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Joe Foss, Governor of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the period of March 6 to April 6, 1968, Easter Seal Appeal Time in South Dakota, and I call upon all citizens of South Dakota to extend the fullest support to this worthy cause.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 16th day of Feb., 1968.

ATTEST:

Clara Hobbs
Secretary of State

Joe Foss
Governor

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